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AZTurboCourt - the mandatory statewide e-filing portal - Now Available

The Arizona Supreme Court and the Administrative Office of the Courts (AOC) are phasing-in AZTurboCourt, the vendor-supported product that will act as one portal for electronic filing in all Arizona state courts.

Supreme Court Administrative Order 2010-117 makes participation in e-filing through AZTurboCourt mandatory for most attorneys filing post-initiation civil case documents in the Superior Court in Maricopa County according to the schedule below:

February 1, 2011: attorneys employed by government entities, courts and non-profit organizations and attorneys employed by a law firm, partnership or similar business entity whose firm name begins with the letters A – E.

March 1, 2011: attorneys employed as corporate counsel or as an employee of another form of outside business entity and attorneys employed by a law firm, partnership or similar business entity whose firm name begins with the letters F – K.

April 1, 2011: attorneys employed by a law firm, partnership or similar business entity whose firm name begins with the letters L – R.

May 1, 2011: attorneys employed by a law firm, partnership or similar business entity whose firm name begins with the letters S – Z, solo practitioners and all other attorneys not listed above, unless exempt from electronic filing.

Supreme Court Administrative Order 2011-10 exempts certain types of filings and approved legal service organization attorneys from mandatory participation in e-filing through AZTurboCourt.

Court rules and Administrative Orders will be written and updated as needed to allow Arizona to continue moving forward with electronic business processes, including e-filing. E-filing is one of the Court's approaches for addressing budgets that are shrinking and case filings that are increasing.